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TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is:
 - Amendment Transmittal which includes Certificate of Express Mailing (3 pages, *in duplicate*)
 - Amendment in response to Office Action dated March 31, 2006 (17 pages)
 - Ten (10) Replacement Sheets of Formal Drawings (Figures 1-16)
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STATUS

2. Applicant
 - ☐ claims small entity status.
 - ☒ is other than a small entity.

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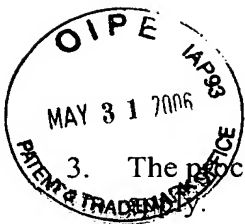
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EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136

(complete (a) or (b), as applicable)

- (a) _____ Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136
(Fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below:)

| Extension for response within: | Other than small entity Fee | Small entity Fee (if applicable) |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| _____ first month | \$ 120.00 | \$ 60.00 |
| _____ second month | \$ 450.00 | \$ 225.00 |
| _____ third month | \$ 1,020.00 | \$ 510.00 |
| _____ fourth month | \$1,590.00 | \$ 795.00 |
| _____ fifth month | \$2,160.00 | \$1,080.00 |

Fee: \$ _____

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

(Check and complete the next item, if applicable)

_____ An extension of _____ months has already been secured. The fee paid
therefor \$_____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months
of extension now requested.

Extension fee due with this request \$_____

OR

- (b) X Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this
conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that
applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension
of time.

FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

| | (Col. 1) | | (Col. 2) | (Col. 3) | SMALL ENTITY | | OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY |
|---|---|-------|---------------------------------------|------------------|----------------------------|----|----------------------------|
| | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | | HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | PRESENT EXTRA | ADDITIONAL RATE FEE | OR | ADDITIONAL RATE FEE |
| TOTAL INDEP. | | MINUS | | = | x \$25.00 = \$ | | x \$50.00 = \$ |
| | | MINUS | | = | x \$100.00 = \$ | | x \$200.00 = \$ |
| — FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM | | | | | + \$180.00 = \$ | | + \$360.00 = \$ |
| | | | | | TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE \$ | OR | TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE \$ |

(a) ☒ No additional fee for Claims is required

OR

(b) ☐ Total additional fee for claims required \$ _____

FEE PAYMENT

5. Attached is a check in the sum of \$_____

☐ Charge Deposit Account No. 01-2384 the sum of \$_____.
A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

FEE DEFICIENCY

6. ☒ If any additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Deposit Account No. 01-2384.

AND/OR

☒ If any additional fee for claims is required, charge Deposit Account No. 01-2384.

7. ☐ Other:

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